



PATENT APPLICATION
File No: 97-28C1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Paul O. Sheppard, Laura J. Jelinek
Serial No. : 09/852,472
Group Art Unit : 1646
Examiner : Michael D. Pak
Filed : May 10, 2001
For : MAMMALIAN NEURO-GROWTH FACTOR LIKE PROTEIN
Date Submitted : July 29, 2004

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

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P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-mentioned application.
The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Extra Rate	Fee
Total	9	- 19	0	\$9.00	\$000.00
Independent	4	- 7	0	\$43.00	\$000.00
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				\$145.00	\$000.00
Total					\$000.00

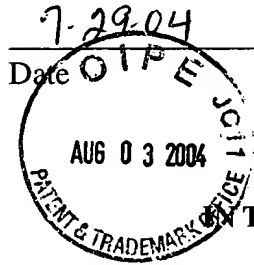
Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge any required fee to
ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.


Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

This paper is in response to the Final Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, and is due on July 29, 2004 with a three (3) month extension of time. Accordingly, Applicants enclose herewith the appropriate response, a Petition for a three (3) month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) and the required fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3). However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee due with this submission, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 26-0290; Reference No. 97-28.

In response to the Office Action mailed January 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.